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"THREE REVOLUTIONS IN COMMUNICATIONS"

To many observers of the legal system, the recent disposition of AT&T antitrust litigation was one of the most significant economic and legal decisions in many years. The impact of the telecommunications revolution on the law is potentially enormous. On Monday, April 11, at 4:30, Dr. Edward Zajac of Bell Laboratories will speak on "Three Revolutions in Telecommunications" in room 223. His talk will also include the issues of regulatory changes. Students are encouraged to attend!

FACULTY NEWS

Nancy Hablutzal, a member of the part-time faculty, will present a paper, "Legal Issues Involved in the Use of Mastery Testing in the Public Schools" at the annual meeting of the National Conference on Measurement in Education, in Montreal on Thursday, April 14.

PLACEMENT NEWS

McGeorge School of Law Post-Juris Doctor European Intern Program

Professor Dennis Campbell, director, will be at Chicago-Kent on Wednesday, April 20, 1983 to interview prospective graduates interested in this program for the Fall 1983-Summer 1984 term. This program provides an intensive academic session conducted in English, at Salzburg University as a prelude to serving a paid short-term internship with a European law firm, company legal department or public agency. Several Chicago-Kent graduates have participated in the McGeorge program. Interested applicants should sign up for an interview in the Placement Office immediately. Applicants must plan on graduating before September 1983 to be eligible for this program.

McGeorge School of Law Summer 1983 European Programs

Professor Dennis Campbell, director, will speak to first and second year students interested in McGeorge's summer session in Salzburg, Vienna, Budapest and Edinburgh, Wednesday, April 20, 1983 in room 103 at 11:00 a.m.

Attention First and Second Year Students

1983 Fall On Campus Interview Program

Anyone considering participation in the next Fall On-Campus Interview program, 1983, should attend the Information workshop on either Tuesday, April 12 at 12 noon, room 325 or Wednesday evening, April 13 at 5:15 p.m., room 101.

Information handouts are available in the Placement Office on the upcoming 1983 Fall On-Campus Interview Program. Please pick one up and read it before attending the workshop. You will be better prepared to ask relevant questions.

PLACEMENT NEWS (Cont'd)

Spring Job Fair

We can work together to help you become employed. We could use your help in making follow-up phone calls to firms which we would like to bring on campus for the Spring Job Fair in May. If each job-seeking student, first, second, or third year, would volunteer only one hour of his/her time to make phone calls we could reach many more potential employers. Simply come to the Placement Office, room 321, and see Mary Kralovec when you have a free hour.

CORRECTION TO FALL 1983 SCHEDULE

Contracts II taught by Professor J. Steinman will meet at 9:35 - 10:30 a.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays instead of Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

EXCEPTIONS TO HOURS LIMITATIONS

Day students may register for a maximum of 16 hours. Evening students may register for a maximum of 11 hours. Permission for an overload must be granted by Dean Neff. If permission is granted, you must present your permission slip on add/drop day or thereafter to add additional hours up to the limit permitted by Dean Neff.

COURSE DESCRIPTION OF EMPLOYEES' STATUTORY BENEFITS (LAW 398)

Please note: the course description which appears in the Registration Newspaper is incorrect. The correct description follows and may also be found in the IIT Chicago-Kent Bulletin on page 64.

Law 398 EMPLOYEES' STATUTORY BENEFITS. This course will primarily emphasize the law of workers' compensation. Secondary emphasis will be placed on social security disability claims. There will also be some limited review of workers' rights under the Fair Labor Standards Act and laws governing unemployment compensation. Three credit hours.

JUNE 1983 GRADUATES

Applications for the Illinois Bar Examination are available in the Registrar's office, room 306. Due to the limited supply, only one will be issued to each graduating senior.

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR FALL 1983 SEMESTER

All past due tuition through Spring 1983 must be paid before pre-registration forms for the Fall 1983 semester may be obtained. If your last payment was submitted late, the Registrar's office may require that you present your receipt or cancelled check as proof of payment. Students who are unable to meet this requirement should contact Dean Berry in room 302 or call him at 567-5190 as soon as possible.

ILLINOIS BAR APPLICATION

Information will be presented by Mary Lampman of the Committee on Character and Fitness, on how to complete the Illinois Bar Application. Two meetings will be held on April 12: from noon to 1 p.m. in room 203, and from 5 - 6 p.m. in room 103. ALL STUDENTS GRADUATING IN JUNE SHOULD ATTEND. PLEASE BRING YOUR APPLICATION WITH YOU.

IIT COUNSELING CENTER

There will be no staff from the Counseling Center present at Chicago-Kent on April 19. There are no other changes in the schedule at present.

SUMMER NDSL LOAN

Students may apply for NDSL loans for Summer up to the total of Summer tuition without reducing the amount of the NDSL loan they will be eligible to receive for the 1983-84 school year. To be eligible for the loan the student must have already qualified for an NDSL loan for the 1983/84 school year and must have already received his/her award letter, and must be registered for at least five hours for the Summer. To apply, please complete the special (red) Summer application in the College Office, room 301, and attach a copy of your Summer program notice. Do not apply, however, until you receive your award for 1983/84.

DRINKS IN CLASSROOMS

Rooms 101, 102, and 103 are newly carpeted, and are already beginning to show stains from coffee, coke, etc. Please do not carry drinks into the classrooms. Help keep your law school looking good. Pick up after yourself. These actions on your part will help keep our operating costs down.

COMMENTATOR VACANCIES

The Commentator will have several vacancies on the editorial board and production staff for the 1983-84 school year. Students who wish to be considered for these positions should submit their name and phone number to the Commentator office, room 211. No experience is necessary.

ASSOCIATION OF WIVES OF ILLINOIS LAWYERS (AWIL) SCHOLARSHIP

Any student (male or female) who would like to be considered for a \$1000 scholarship for the 1983-84 school year, should write a letter to AWIL, and deliver it to Dean Berry, room 302, by April 15, 1983. Please state in the letter why you feel you should receive the scholarship; the activities in which you have been involved; your scholastic accomplishment and an indication of your financial need.

WRITING COMPETITION

The 1983 John P. Rattigan, M.D. Student Essay Competition is open to students currently enrolled in graduate programs of law. Students may submit any original paper on any subject of medicolegal interest. First, second and third prizes of \$300, \$150 and \$100, respectively, will be awarded. Prize winning and honorable mention essays will be submitted for publication in the American Journal of Law and Medicine and Law, Medicine & Health Care. Deadline for submission is no later than June 1, 1983. For more information, see Pauline in room 305.

LAW REVIEW SUMMER CANDIDACY

The Law Review Summer Candidacy Program is open to all students who have or will have completed their first two semesters by June 1 and have a least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average. Meetings will be held for all interested students on Tuesday, April 12 at 1 p.m. in room 324 and at 5:15 in room 326. The basic rules of the Candidacy Program will be explained and all questions about the Law Review in general will be answered.

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION, DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

The National Institutes and Division programs being offered by the American Bar Association, Division of Professional Education this Spring are listed below:

Analyzing Medical Records
Effective Time Management for Lawyers
Financial Institutions - An Assessment of the New Products,
Structure, Marketing and Regulation
High Technology Contracting: Opportunity and Challenge
International Workouts and Bankruptcies
Organizing Corporate Compliance Efforts
Product Liability in the 1980s
Ratemaking Fundamentals
Real Estate Bankruptcies and Workouts
Litigation in Aviation and Space Law
Taking Depositions

Law students are occasionally offered a reduced registration fee. For more information, please see Pauline in room 305.

SYMPHONY BRASS QUINTET

The Symphony Brass Quintet will present a free concert on Tuesday, April 12, at noon in the lobby at One South Wacker. The concert will last for 45 minutes. All are invited.

STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION

If you know someone who has contributed to the school and is graduating this June, or if you are in this category yourself, you may pick up a Bar and Gavel nomination form outside the SBA office and complete it with the appropriate name and slip it under the SBA door.

The White Sox game is tomorrow, April 12. If you are interested in tickets, you may purchase them from your class representative or from the SBA office.

Wednesday, April 13, is the last day to nominate a faculty member for the distinguished faculty award. Please slip your signed nominations under the SBA door.

The elections for the SBA officers will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, April 13 and 14. Everyone should vote. There will be no campaigning allowed during the balloting.

The final SBA meeting for this semester will be April 25. Everyone should be present. If you are unable to attend, please give your proxy to someone you know will be there, so that the elections and the bar and gavel awards can be ratified.

BALSA MEETING

There will be a very important BALSA meeting at 12 noon on Sunday, April 17 in room 204. Election of officers will be held. All members must attend in order to participate in the election. The election will be the first agenda item. Please be prompt.

CHRISTIAN LEGAL SOCIETY

The Christian Legal Society will meet on Tuesday, April 12 at 12 noon in room 221.

DECALOGUE

An important meeting of the Decalogue Society will be held on Tuesday, April 12 at 11:45 a.m. in room 225. Agenda items will include nomination of officers for next year, planning the final banquet, and finalizing the plans for Justice Goldberg's program and reception. All members are requested to attend.

NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD - LAW SCHOOL DIVISION

The National Lawyers Guild will present "The Death Penalty: a Forum" on Thursday, April 14, from 4 - 6 p.m. in room 103. The panel members will include Sandra Bietila, Illinois Coalition against the Death Penalty, Kyle Weisendorf, State Appellate Defender, Elgin, and Mike Ficaro, Assistant States Attorney. The program will be moderated by Judge Strayhorn.

All students and faculty are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

The Law School Division of the National Lawyers Guild will meet on Wednesday April 13 at 5 p.m. in room 221. All should attend.

PHI ALPHA DELTA

Phi Alpha Delta will hold general membership meetings on Tuesday, April 12 at noon in room 326 and on Wednesday, April 13 at 5 p.m. in room 204. Activities will include nomination of officers and discussion of general business, including the Clerk Training Program. Selection of the new officers will be done at a general meeting to be held by the end of April to comply with the new by-laws of Blackstone, PAD. Those interested in nominating candidates or being a candidate should attend the meetings. Please be prompt.

On Thursday, April 21 at 6 p.m., the Spring Initiation of new members will take place in the Dirksen Federal Building. There will be a party afterwards for initiates and all other PAD members who attend the ceremony. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend. Further details will appear on the second floor PAD bulletin board. Applicants and members are reminded that you must be initiated formally into the fraternity to vote and participate.

Phi Alpha Delta is pleased to announce a guest speaker on the topic "Business Torts - An Overview with Special Emphasis on Tortious Interference with Contract." Renowned national litigator in this growing field, Frederic S. Lane of Sonnenschein, Carlin, Nath and Rosenthal will speak on this subject on Thursday, April 28, in room 103, from 12:50 - 1:45. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Phi Alpha Delta's Clerk Training Program needs a few more third-year members who have extensive clerking experience as Training Guides. This is a great opportunity to share your knowledge with new members and there is a stipend for Guides who complete each training session. For more information, contact Nancy Zahour, PAD Job Placement Director, or leave her a note in PAD's mailbox on the third floor.

ATTENTION GRADUATING SENIORS

The Senior Party will be on Saturday, April 30 at The Juke Box Saturday Night, 2251 North Lincoln, beginning at 5 p.m. The bar will be exclusively ours until 8 p.m. Tickets are selling for \$5.50 per person which includes all you can eat, plus one free drink, and are on sale now. Sorry, no tickets will be sold at the door.